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1. (Secret - JGO) Talked to Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, and told him that it would be most helpful if we could go until Friday before responding to his request for additional budget information. Mr. Preston agreed; I am to call him later to set a time for meeting on Friday.
2. (Confidential - JMM) Lunched with Ambassador Harry Symmes, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Congressional Relations, and Martin Manch, Executive Director, ACDA, and discussed common problems in dealing with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, particularly regarding the handling of sensitive security matters.
3. (Unclassified - LLM) Left for Kathy Rowan, in the office of Senator George Murphy (R., Calif.), a suggested reply to a letter from a constituent, [REDACTED] concerning the Agency budget. Miss Rowan^{25X1} is to call if she has any problems with the letter.
4. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Met with Jack Norpel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, who gave me information on several items which he thought would be of interest to the Agency and I said I would pass them on as appropriate.
5. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Called Vic Zafra, in the Office of Management and Budget, on the status of our retirement legislation in the light of Treasury's adverse report on the funding title. Zafra said it would be impossible to resolve the matter before the adjournment of this Congress but agreed to try to clear the other provisions of the bill in Title II, including quota relief, and promised to let us know the outcome in the next two days. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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